

INDIAN RIVER RIPPLES.

Paragraphs Personal and Newsy Brief at Towns Along the Coast.

COCOA.

Mrs. W. L. Haggett is enjoying a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. H. Wilkinson, of Hypoluxo, Fla.

Mr. Snyder and family, who have been occupying a part of Mrs. Packard's house have moved into their own cottage.

Vacation next week to give teachers and pupils an opportunity to attend a portion of the chautauqua session at Melbourne.

Mr. Miller has purchased the Dixon lot just east of and adjoining John Gore's place on Mulberry street and will erect a nice comfortable cottage thereon for future habitation.

Mr. Casey has so improved the Sloan cottage and premises since his purchase that one scarcely knows where they are as they pass along the highway. Let the good work go on.

The citizens of Cocoa were very much shocked over the sad fate of Mrs. Brown, wife of Archdeacon B. F. Brown, who had charge of St. Marks church, Cocoa, so long. Every sympathy is felt by the community at large for the archdeacon in this most trying trouble.

Postmaster Schoonmaker has secured the lot next east of the town hall and will erect a fine little brick building in which to house the postoffice. Forty new combination lock boxes will be put in and every facility for handling the mails speedily will be secured.

The Wise Guys gave another of their popular hops on Tuesday night and every body had to dance to keep warm. While the excellent orchestra made merry music, cupid and jolly old St. Valentine gazed on the gay throng with twinkling eyes and beaming smiles, and the arrows flew thick and fast from cupid's bow, as the little fellow never grows weary.

Another cold wave swooped down upon us Monday night and from the ominous reports as to the drop in temperature there was many grave faces, for the trees had begun to grow and the little tender shoots of growth were a half inch in length. At 10 o'clock p. m. the thermometer registered 45° Tuesday night. Wednesday morning was bright, clear and cold but no damage whatever had been done by the cold.

ROCKLEDGE.

Valentines flew thick and fast on Tuesday.

Go and see the bower of beauty at the ladies' bazaar today.

Miss Julia Coats, of Alabama, is visiting relatives in Rockledge.

The elegant houseboat Nirodha was anchored off Rockledge on Tuesday.

Barton avenue is now receiving the attention of the good roads committee.

Mr. A. L. Hatch has gone to view his new possessions at Christmas, Fla., where he expects to move in the early spring time.

Mrs. M. E. Hill, of Cocoa, has opened her fancy goods and millinery store in Rockledge with Mrs. W. H. Bower in charge.

Mr. D. P. Holmes is building a fine cottage for a winter home in South Rockledge. That portion is taking on steady growth. Another Buckeye family added to the settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blair, who have been spending a month or six weeks with Mrs. Blair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blakelee, have returned to their home in New Haven, Conn.

The Plaza is about filled with guests and of the old standbys—those who come year after year—who know good service when they have it. Mine Host Peck knows just how to please his guests.

Miss Allene Wilson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. O'Brien, at Daytona, last week, and on Sunday, she, together with Mrs. Lourey, of New Smyrna, and Dr. Walton, of Daytona, stood sponsors for Baby O'Brien at her christening.

Mrs. Kain, of Philadelphia, favored the large audience at the song service on last Sunday night with two beautiful solos, which everyone appreciated. Mr. James Matthews, of Brooklyn, lead the service and Mr. Bemis rendered an excellent 'cello solo.

The launch race booked for the 22nd is creating considerable interest. The Avian ladies are all interested in the success of Mr. O. Currier's launch, Rosemond, as he has promised his winnings to its library fund. It took first prize last year, \$15, which Mr. Currier kindly donated to the library fund.

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EAU GALLIE.

Miss Lucia Perry returned from Melbourne Saturday.

Several parties from Melbourne visited Eau Gallie this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Booth went to Melbourne Beach Monday in the new launch Carlos.

Rev. Dr. Keiffer, of Bradford, Penn., and Mrs. Keiffer are guests of Indian River Inn.

A number of our citizens attended the opening of the chautauqua at Melbourne on Wednesday

Dr. C. C. Booth and wife will take a trip to Miami before their return to Ohio in the spring.

Mrs. S. E. Barbour is shipping the balance of the oranges from Walden grove, unhurt by the freeze.

Mr. and Mrs. McNabb will entertain the card club on Tuesday evening at their new house, Craig Appan.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, two children and maid, of Knoxville, Tenn., are spending the week at Hotel Sarno.

Mr. Dunklee and a party from Hotel Sarno left for points on the lower river Wednesday in the Dunklee houseboat.

Mr. Chas. Snodgrass, of Youngstown, Ohio, killed a large rattlesnake while on a shooting trip this week. He will preserve the skin.

The Helen was on the ways this week, having new reversing gear attached to the motor. Mr. Randall, her owner, will soon be in Eau Gallie.

The Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Hodgson's residence, was decorated with vines, ferns, Chinese lanterns, etc., on Thursday eve, the occasion being the meeting of the E. G. card club.

MELBOURNE.

Mrs. Ella Price is the guest of her father, Capt. West.

Mr. Walter Clark has returned to his New York home.

Rev. Milledge Walker paid a visit to Titusville, returning Monday.

Mr. Andrew McAdams, of Chicago, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Goode.

Mr. Fred Irwin is having a new roof put on the Mismar building on Front street.

Miss Lucia Perry, of Eau Gallie, was the guest of her friend, Miss Susie Carter, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Reiley and their daughter, Miss Louise, are guests of Hotel Carleton for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Snedeker and two children have returned home after spending several months at Roseland.

Mrs. Will Nash, of Daytona, sister-in-law of Mrs. C. H. Stewart, is the guest of Mayor Stewart and family this week.

The Misses Jennie M. Chance and Bessie Brothers, from Canton, Ohio, are the guests of Mrs. Carter for the winter.

Mrs. C. M. Beaujean and daughter Jessie spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Goode.

Rev. Dr. Davidson arrived Tuesday from Washington, D. C., to remain during the session of the chautauqua.

The Misses Agnes and Fern Gibbs and Master Frank Gibbs, of Bay Hill, are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Dr. Peck.

Messrs. Wm. and T. J. Wallace, James A. Wright and John Carley, of Sharon, Pa., were guests of Mrs. Carter and Miss Carter last Tuesday.

The houseboat Turtle, bound for Fort Pierce and Palm Beach, left Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Riddiman and Mr. Chas. A. Winters on board.

Mr. and Mrs. Insinger and two children, of Germantown, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Thos. Meehan at her pretty winter home in the suburbs of Melbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blanchard, of Norwalk, Ohio, are pleasant guests at Carleton, and Hon. Mrs. Wilkinson, of Yorkshire, England, is among the noted arrivals at Hotel Carleton.

SHILOH.

Messrs. Nolle and Terwilliger are shipping oranges.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Kuhl, of Golconda, Ill., are expected this week on a visit to relatives.

Mr. Clarence C. Alvers, of Pomona, spent a few days with his friend, Mr. R. L. Ragin, last week.

Messrs. Speer, Fraker and Brandlet left Wednesday for their home in Georgia. They will be greatly missed by the young people.

Mr. G. C. Kuhl and Misses Minnie Glass and Mayme Taylor enjoyed a pleasant trip to Titusville Friday in Capt. Kuhl's boat Swallow, returning Saturday.

The St. Valentine's party at Mrs. Kuhl's Tuesday evening was a grand success. Numerous were the comical and sentimental valentines and the reading of the verses caused a great deal of mirth. Delicious refreshments were served and all went home well satisfied with the evening.

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